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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 064

INFO AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ABLD, BM

SUBJECT: PROPOSED ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION, PROPERTY 06331

REF: STATE 179787

1. APPRECIATE DEPTS INTEREST AND RESPONSIVENESS THIS PROJECT.  
IN ATTEMPT PROVIDE EARLIEST POSSIBLE INFORMATION ON QUERIES  
RAISED REFTEL O'GRADY SPENT FRIDAY THROUGH SUNDAY WORKING WITH  
CONSULTING ENGINEERS IN SINGAPORE. AT THIS TIME, SOME SLIGHT  
CHANGES IN ORIGINAL REQUIREMENTS DEVELOPED:

A. 16MM CABLE TO BE INCREASED TO 25MM TO ALLOW FOR H.W. HEATERS  
HEATERS ALL PROPERTIES WHICH WERE INADVERTENTLY OMITTED.

B. DISTRIBUTION PANEL FOR HEALTH UNIT (NO.112 UNIV AVE) TO BE  
INCREASED IN SIZE TO ACCOMMODATE X-RAY, STERILIZER, ETC.; AND  
PANEL FOR 8-A WASH PARK TO BE DECREASED IN SIZE DUE SMALLNESS OF  
PROPERTY.

2. LISTING OF ADDITIONAL MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INTERNAL RE-WIR-  
ING ALL PROPERTIES (EXCEPT 8-A AND 8-B WASH PARK WHICH WERE DONE  
IN 1972) IS AS FOLLOWS:

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	QUAN.	UNIT
1.	CLASS"B" CONDUIT 25MM (1")	1,000	FT
2.	CLASS"B" CONDUIT 20MM (3/4")	7,900	FT
3.	CONDUIT COUPLINGS 25MM (1")	130	EA
4.	CONDUIT COUPLINGS 20MM (3/4")	740	EA
5.	CONDUIT BARREL UNIONS 25MM (1")	20	EA
6.	CONDUIT BARREL UNIONS 20MM (3/4")	100	EA
7.	CONDUIT SADDLES 25MM (1")	400	EA

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8. CONDUIT SADDLES 20MM (3/4") 2,700 EA

9. CONDUIT ELBOWS 25MM (1")	100	EA
10. CONDUIT ELBOWS 20MM (3/4")	1,000	EA
11. CONDUIT TEES 25MM (1")	100	EA
12. CONDUIT TEES 20MM (3/4")	770	EA
13. CONDUIT JUNCTION BOX, 4-WAY, 25MM (1")	100	EA
OA14. CONDUIT JUNCTION BOX, 4-WAY, 20MM (3/4")	520	EA
15. CONDUIT THREAD HEXAGON NUTS, (GALV.) 25MM (1")	300	EA
16. CONDUIT THREAD HEXAGON NUTS,(GALV)20MM(3/4")	1,600	EA
17. P.V.C. CABLE 10MM SQUARE (3-PHASE)	600	FT
18. PVC/PVC AERIAL CABLE 1.5MM SQUARE	1,600	FT
19. PVC CABLE 1.5MM SQUARE	20,400	FT
20. PVC CABLE 2.5 MM SQUARE	13,400	FT
21. PVC CABLE 4MM SQUARE	2,800	FT
22. PVC CABLE 6MM SQUARE	2,100	FT
23. EARTH WIRE 7/.029"	4,900	FT
24. DIMMER CONTROLS (5A)	11	EA
25. LIGHT SWITCH, SINGLE POLE, 10A	320	EA
26. LIGHT SWITCH, 2-WAY, 10A	25	EA
27. SWITCH 20A, SINGLE PHASE (WATER HEATER)	12	EA
28. SWITCH 10A, TWO PHASE (DRYER)	12	EA
29. SWITCH 30A, TWO PHASE (STOVE)	15	EA
30. SWITCH 30A, THREE PHASE (STERILIZER)	2	EA
31. WALL OUTLET (3 PIN, ROUND PIN) 15A	70	EA
32. WALL OUTLET (3 PIN, ROUND PIN) 13A	150	EA
33. WALL OUTLET (3 PIN, ROUND PIN) 10A	410	EA
34. 110V SHAVER OUTLET (COMPLETE W/TRANS.)	36	EA
35. POLE INSULATOR AND BRACKETS	50	EA

3. IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE WITHIN THIS TIME FRAME TO OBTAIN QUOTATIONS FOR THIS MATERIAL FROM SINGAPORE. FYI - THE ORIGINAL QUOTATION FOR MATERIALS OF SINGAPORE DOLLARS 102,601 (WHICH INCLUDED STREET AND FLOOD LIGHTING FIXTURES AND ACCESSORIES ELIMINATED IN EMBASSY PRESENTATION DUE TO COST) HAS BEEN REVISED BY SUPPLIER (SWIFT SKILL) TO SINGAPORE DOLS 98,654 (US\$41,980) CIF RANGOON VALID UNTIL AUGUST 21.

4. TO ASSIST DEPT IN MAKING DETERMINATION, SHIPPING COSTS NEW YORK/RANGOON AVERAGE DOLS 4 PER CUBIC FOOT WITH 3-4 MONTH TRANSIT TIME.

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5. LOCAL WORKMEN WOULD EXPERIENCE NO DIFFICULTY IN USING U.S. STANDARD MATERIALS.

6. LOCAL ELECTRIC SUPPLY BOARD HAS INSTALLED NEW MAIN SUPPLY BOARD AND FUSES, AND WITH COOPERATION ALL PERSONNEL OCCUPYING WASHINGTON PARK REDUCED AND/OR COORDINATED SCHEDULING USE HEAVY USAGE APPLIANCES SUCH AS DRYERS, BELIEVE PRESENT SYSTEM CAN BE UTILIZED FOR ADDITIONAL FOUR TO SIX MONTHS.

7. AIR FREIGHTING MATERIALS FROM SINGAPORE OR BANGKOK WOULD REDUCE TRANSIT TIME FROM U.S. BY FOUR TO SIX WEEKS, BUT OBVIOUSLY WOULD GREATLY INCREASE OVERALL COST.

8. PROVIDING ADDITIONAL MATERIALS TAKE-OFF AND RELATED WORK ON "CRASH" WEEKEND BASIS HAS INCREASED TECHNICAL CONSULTANT FEE BY APPROX DOLS 600.

9. EMBASSY APPRECIATES DEPARTMENT EFFORTS THIS PROJECTS AND WHOLE HEARTEDLY SUPPORTS DESIRABILITY DO COMPLETE JOB IF FUNDS AVAILABLE.  
NOTE - ALL INSTALLATION WORK CAN BE PAID FROM SFC FUNDS.  
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